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Herman Phleger, Esq.

Dear Herman:

Many thanks for your good letter of September 28. John McCone and I are off for a trip to Europe and then shortly after our return, he will relieve me of the duties of this particular job. We have been working together for some days now, and I feel assured that he will make an excellent Chief.

I have plans for the future that will keep me about as busy as I am now but whether it will be in Washington or in New York, I have not decided. In any event, I may have more opportunity to travel in this country than in the past and I hope our paths cross often.

Clover joins me in regards to you both. Let us know if you come this way.

Sincerely,

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Allen W. Dulles
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